IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : BRIEND, et al.

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MODULATORS OF NOTCH INTRACELLULAR DOMAIN

PROTEASE ACTIVITY

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated November 28, 2006, setting a three-month term for reply.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), a three-month extension of the term for reply, *i.e.*, to up to and including May 29, 2007 (as May 28 was a holiday). The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$1,020.00 in payment of the fee required under § 1.17(a) and any additionally required fee for the extension, or any other fee occasioned by this paper, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.